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REMARKS

In response to the Office Action dated June 30, 2006 that imposed a restriction requirement in the above-captioned patent application, Applicants elect Species I, claims 1-8 (Group a) for examination.

Furthermore, claims 9-19 (Species II) have been canceled without prejudice. The Applicants reserve the right to subsequently file one or more divisional applications in order to prosecute the inventions recited in any one or more of the non-elected groups of canceled claims.

If, however, the Examiner believes that there are any unresolved issues, it is requested that the Examiner telephone Mr. Kin-Wah Tong, Esq. at (732) 530-9404 so that appropriate arrangements can be made for resolving such issues as expeditiously as possible.

Respectfully submitted,



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